

Remarks

Claims 1-12 are currently pending. Process claim 1 has been amended to recite at least 80% by weight of the first curable component and at least 5% and at most 15% by weight of the second curable component wherein the second component has at least one terminal thiol group. Support for this amendment can be found at, for example, paragraphs [0045], [0046], and [0056], in the published application. Dependent claims 4 and 5 have been amended to more particularly point out and distinctly claim applicants' present invention. Composition claim 7 has been amended to correspond to the composition used in process claim 1. No new matter has been added.

Claims 1-12 are subject to a restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. §§ 121 and 372. Applicants hereby elect, with traverse, for continued prosecution Group II, claims 7-12.

Applicant elects with traverse because the amended claims relate to a single general inventive concept since they now share the same or corresponding special technical features.

In view of the amendments and remarks above, Applicants request the restriction requirement be withdrawn. If the restriction requirement is made final, Applicants reserve the right to continue prosecution of non-elected inventions in or more continuing applications.

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